CLAIMS

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- 5 1. An item of hosiery comprising a panty section, at least one removable full leg length hose member, and attachment means.
 - 2. The hosiery item of claim 1 wherein said attachment means comprises clip means comprising at least one double-ended clip with a clamping mechanism located at each end.
- The hosiery item of claim 1 wherein said attachment means comprises reciprocal,
 interlocking components affixed at intervals around a circumference of at least one leg
 opening of said panty section and at corresponding intervals around a circumference of a top
 portion of said hose member.
 - 4. The hosiery item of claim 3 wherein said attachment means is selected from the group consisting of snaps, buttons, hooks, clips and hook and loop fasteners.
- 15 5. The hosiery item of claim 1 wherein said attachment means comprises hook and loop fasteners.
 - 6. The hosiery item of claim 4 wherein said attachment means comprises snaps.
 - 7. The hosiery item of claim 5 wherein said attachment means is removably affixed to at least one garment members of said pantyhose combination garment.
- 20 8. The hosiery item of claim 1 where at least one garment member of said combination garment is provided with means to conceal contours of said attachment means, said means comprising at least one slat providing a covering layer external to said attachment means.
 - 9. A method of supporting a hose portion of a combination pantyhose garment comprising removably attaching said hose portion via fastening means to a panty section of said combination pantyhose garment.

- 10. A method of replacing a damaged hose portion of a combination pantyhose garment comprising removing said damaged portion from a panty section of said combination pantyhose garment by unfastening an attachment means and removably attaching a replacement hose portion to said panty section by fastening said attachment means.
- 5 11. A combination undergarment comprising a panty section, at least one removable full-length leg member, and attachment means.
 - 12. The combination undergarment of claim 11 adapted to be worn for warmth.
 - 13. The combination undergarment of claim 12 wherein said panty section and said at least one leg member are adapted to be worn by male or female humans.
- 10 14. The combination undergarment of claim 13 adapted to fit children.